

# War News

## American Troops Take Contingent And 200 Prisoners—Inflict Heavy Losses in First Big Onslaught

Launch Attack on Front of One and Quarter Miles—Counter-Attacks Made by Germans, But to No Purpose—Hard-Fighting Americans Take Just Three-Quarters of an Hour to Complete Conquest

WASHINGTON, May 28.—American troops in Picardy attacked the Germans on the front of one and a quarter miles, captured the village of Cantigny, took two hundred prisoners and inflicted severe losses in killed and wounded on the enemy, says General Pershing's communique made public tonight. The American casualties were small.

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Thousand Jewish Refugees Drown When Ship Sinks

NEW YORK, May 28.—One thousand persons, all Jewish refugees from Russia, were drowned when the ship *Eden*, carrying them, sank in the North Sea. The ship was carrying 1,100 persons, including 1,000 refugees and 100 crew members. The ship was carrying 1,100 persons, including 1,000 refugees and 100 crew members.

## BIG ACREAGE IN INDIAN LAND BEING BROKEN

W. M. Graham Estimates 1 at 100,000 in Alberta and Saskatchewan

REGINA, May 28.—Close to 100,000 acres of Indian land in Alberta and Saskatchewan are being broken up by the federal government, the Indians themselves are doing the work. The federal government has leased considerable tracts of land to the Indians for the purpose of breaking up the large tracts of land. The federal government has leased considerable tracts of land to the Indians for the purpose of breaking up the large tracts of land.

## GRIPPE EPIDEMIC PREVAILS IN SPAIN

MADRID, May 28.—Virtually all of Spain is in the grasp of a grippe epidemic, which is spreading with great violence. The epidemic began in the north and is now spreading to the south. The epidemic began in the north and is now spreading to the south.

## FIFTEEN GERMAN PLANES DESTROYED

LONDON, May 28.—Fifteen German airplanes have been destroyed by the British in the last twenty-four hours. The British have destroyed fifteen German airplanes in the last twenty-four hours.

## GERMANS BREAK ARMISTICE SIGNED

Occupies Valais After Four Days of Fighting, and Continue Advance

MOSCOW, May 28.—Although the armistice signed between Russia and the United States is in force, the Germans have broken it. The Germans have broken the armistice signed between Russia and the United States.

## ALLIES DECLARE VOID PACT FORCED UPON ROMANIA

LONDON, May 28.—Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, in the House of Commons, said that the pact forced upon Romania was void. The pact forced upon Romania was void.

## BRITISH FLIERS CAUSED PANIC IN HUN WORKS

Heavy Damage Was Caused in Recent Raid Made on Liege

LIEGE, May 28.—Details of the British fliers' raid on the Hun works in Liege, Belgium, published today by the British press, show that the raid was a complete success. The British fliers caused a panic in the Hun works in Liege.

## GERMANS HOLD BELGIUM TIRPITZ SAYS

Amsterdam, May 28.—"We must retain Belgium," Tirpitz said today in the Reichstag. Tirpitz said that the Germans must retain Belgium.

## GERMANS FEAR MAIL MAY BE OPENED

Amsterdam, May 28.—A notice issued by the German government today says that the German government fears that the mail may be opened.

## B.C. PREMIER SAYS C.N.R. SHOULD HAVE GOT NOTHING AT ALL

TORONTO, May 28.—That the Canadian National Railway (C.N.R.) should have got nothing at all for the war effort, the B.C. Premier said today.

## 3 KILLED AND 14 HURT BY LONG RANGE FIRE

PARIS, May 27.—Three persons were killed and 14 were hurt by long range fire in the battle of the Marne.

## SUGAR SUPPLY IN CANADA IS NOW ADEQUATE

OTTAWA, May 28.—The sugar supply in Canada is now adequate, the government says today.

## BOMBS DROPPED LANDAU, GERMANY

Amsterdam, May 28.—Nineteen bombs have been dropped on Landau, Germany, by the British.

## FORCED TO FLEE IN NIGHT CLOTHING IN FIRE IN TORONTO

Toronto, May 28.—Fifty people had a narrow escape from being burned to death in a fire in Toronto.

## LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS NOTES

SUPPLY OF SPRUCE FOR PLANES ADEQUATE

TAKES MAIL FROM PARIS TO LONDON BY PLANE

PEO STRIKE FINALLY SETTLED

58,000 HUN PRISONERS IN BRITAIN

ALLIES PLAN TO AD RUSSIA

FOREST FIRES RAGE IN QUEBEC

U.S. RED CROSS TOTAL, \$150,000,000

## British Public Takes Calmly Latest News from the Front

LONDON, May 28.—The British public received the news of the resumption of the German offensive with the calmest of faces.

## BORROWING SYSTEM IS BIG SUCCESS

British Chancellor Declares Result is Beyond His Expectations

LONDON, May 28.—Speaking today on the subject of the payment by the Bank of England of the Treasury's bill, the Chancellor declared that the borrowing system was a big success.

## MILLED GRAIN GOES AT BALANCE OF THROUGH RATE

Important Point Arising From Freight Increases Proposed by Railway Board

OTTAWA, May 28.—An important point arising from the recent increase in railway freight rates has been decided by the Board of Railway Commissioners.

## French Reserves Are Arriving at Points Most Severely Assailed by the Enemy

LONDON, May 28.—The reports from the battlefield from France tonight show that the French reserves are arriving at the points most severely assailed by the enemy.

## Summary of the Battle

The great German military machine is in full swing. The German reserves are arriving at the points most severely assailed by the enemy.

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